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Dear Ed:

We're having some trouble on the compatibility reactions of some of the cultures of *S. cerevisiae* you recently sent. As a last out, could you recheck the recorded mating types of the ones indicated on the enclosed card? Thanks.

We are all looking forward to your visit. How long are you planning to be away?

As ever,

J.L.

P.S. I'm looking for a full-time assistant, about B.A. or M.A. training in microbiology. (Possibility of part time continuance of studies; but this should not be emphasized. Can you recommend anyone? I would be especially interested in someone who could also do some microscopy, but the main duties would be running the lab.)